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Societies.

IRON LODGE No. 107, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday evening, at its Hall, in Ironton.

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STAR OF THE WEST LODGE No. 133, A. F. & A. M., meets in Masonic Hall, Ironton, on the Saturday of or preceding the full moon in each month.

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HIGH MASS and Sermon at Arcadia College every Sunday at 8 o'clock. A. M. Yeagers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 5 o'clock P. M. Mass and Sermon at Pilot Knob Catholic Church at 10:30 o'clock. Sunday School for children at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

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IRONTON, MO.

Will practice in all the various Courts, and at prompt attention to all legal business entrusted to him. Office in REGISTER building.

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FRANZ DINGER,
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BY ELI D. AKE.

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Genuine and reliable Clearing Sale in all line of goods. All we ask from a discriminating public is a thorough inspection of our Stock.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Iron county, Missouri, and to me, the undersigned sheriff, directed, in favor of the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of W. A. Fletcher, collector of the revenue for Iron county, Missouri, plaintiff, and against William Barry and James F. Whiteman and all unknown interested parties, defendants, bearing date March 25th, 1886, and returnable to the April term, 1886, thereof, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and property, lying and being in Iron county, Missouri, as the property of said defendants, described as follows, to wit:

The northwest quarter of section twenty-nine, township thirty-one, north, range four east.

And I will, on

Tuesday, April 27th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

S. E. BUFORD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale.

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The west half lot one of the northwest quarter and lot three of the southwest quarter in section six, township thirty-one, north, of range three east.

And I will, on

Wednesday, April 28th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

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The southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and west half of the north-

term, 1886, thereof, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and property, lying and being in Iron county, Missouri, as the property of said defendants, described as follows, to wit:

The south half of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the south half of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, in section thirty-three, township thirty-three, range three east.

And I will, on

Wednesday, April 28th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

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The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter in section twenty-six, township thirty-five, north, of range one east.

And I will, on

Wednesday, April 28th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

S. E. BUFORD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Iron county, Missouri, and to me, the undersigned sheriff, directed, in favor of the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of W. A. Fletcher, collector of the revenue for Iron county, Missouri, plaintiff, and against Theophilus Steele, Carroll B. Inman and Delilah McCarl and all unknown interested parties, defendants, bearing date March 25th, 1886, and returnable to the April term, 1886, thereof, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and property, lying and being in Iron county, Missouri, as the property of said defendants, described as follows, to wit:

The southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and west half of the north-

east quarter in section thirty-two, township thirty-three, north, of range three east.

And I will, on

Wednesday, April 28th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

S. E. BUFORD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Iron county, Missouri, and to me, the undersigned sheriff, directed, in favor of the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of W. A. Fletcher, collector of the revenue for Iron county, Missouri, plaintiff, and against Henderson Bradshaw and his unknown heirs and all unknown interested parties, defendants, bearing date March 25th, 1886, and returnable to the April term, 1886, thereof, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and property, lying and being in Iron county, Missouri, as the property of said defendants, described as follows, to wit:

The east half of lot eight of the northwest quarter of section five, township thirty-three, north, range three east.

And I will, on

Thursday, April 29th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

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The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section eighteen, township thirty-four, north, of range two east.

And I will, on

Tuesday, April 27th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

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The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter in section thirty-five, township thirty-one, north, range three east.

And I will, on

Thursday, April 29th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

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All of block six, and lots two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight in block seven and lots ten, eleven and fourteen in block eight, all in the City of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri.

And I will, on

Tuesday, April 27th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

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The southwest quarter of section twenty-two, township 31, north, of range four east.

And I will, on

Tuesday, April 27th, 1886,

at the east front door of the courthouse in the city of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and during the session of the circuit court, sell, at public vendue, all the right, title, claim, estate and property of the said defendants, of, in and to the above described real estate and property, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

S. E. BUFORD, Sheriff.

The Deadlock.

The question on which the President and the Senate are at issue is as old as the Constitution. In 1789 when Congress was legislating to carry the Constitution into effect, a bill was introduced creating the office of Secretary for Foreign Affairs. The bill contained a clause giving the President the absolute power of removal. A motion was made to strike out the clause. After a long and keen debate the vote stood 29 for and 34 against the motion, thus affirming the President's power.

The United States was small at that time and the patronage of the President trifling, but when the nation had increased greatly, and the patronage of the President had become a formidable factor in politics, Judge Story (3 Story's Comm. pp. 335-336) expresses surprise that the President's power of removal should have remained as long unquestioned, and shows that it may be liable to abuses and is of doubtful Constitutional authority.

That the opinion of Judge Story was anything more than a summary of the arguments of the twenty who in 1789 voted to strike out the clause does not appear. But certain it is that the nature of office bill and other similar legislation arising after the late war gave emphasis to Judge Story's opinion.

And now that we have heard from the Senate and the President's reply, we can weigh the matter. The President and the Senate being parties to the question, cannot be judges on the merits. And, by the way, if the President was impeached in connection with that question, the Senate being a party to the question, cannot try him. The deadlock reaches farther than appears at first view.

But let an effort be made to ascertain the state of the case in the light

of Constitutional law expounded by the inexorable logic of facts. Let us return to 1789, when the President's power of absolute removal first loomed up in our legislation. Among those who took part in that memorable debate were some who had been members of the Constitutional Convention, and so might be supposed to understand that document. Prominent among the majority were Messrs. Madison, Ames, Boudinot and Baldwin. Of these, Mr. Madison had been a member of the Convention. Prominent on the side of the minority were Messrs. Sherman, Gerry, Smith and Jackson, of Georgia. Messrs. Sherman and Jackson had been members of the Convention. The latter was its Secretary, and the former a very prominent member, so that prestige was with the minority.

But from the very beginning there has been a difficulty in framing Constitutions in this country. Either it is objected that the document gives too much power to the President or to the people. The whole field cannot be canvassed now. Attention must be confined to the matter of official removals. And here the previous question of the President's power in official appointments comes up. No one will question that the Constitution aims to guard against centralization. It aims to secure the powers of Government by retaining them in the hands of the people as far as possible. Accordingly the Constitution withholds from the President, for the most part, all absolute power of appointment. For even in regard to appointments during the recess of the Senate it is now settled that the salary dates not from the appointment by the President, but from the confirmation by the Senate.

But the Constitution provides that Congress may by law vest the appointment of some inferior officers as they think proper, in the President alone, in the courts of law, or in the heads of departments. Where the power of appointment is vested in the President alone, it is conceded that he has absolute power of removal.

The merits of the Deadlock now come up. Was the appointment of the official over whose removal the difficulty has arisen vested in the President alone? It was not. But to return. A very learned writer on American law, claims to be able to reduce Judge Story's doubts to an absurdity. He reasons in this way: Suppose the President wishes to remove an officer and communicates his wish to the Senate. That body calls for the reason; the President gives it, and the officer replies through some Senator. The President then is an accuser or defendant in respect to one of his own officers before a collateral branch of the government; which assumes to decide between them and be superior to both. And suppose the Senate does not consent to his removal, the officer retains his place after he has become obnoxious to his superior, and it may be, obtains impunity for his crime. Is this consistent with either the dignity or responsibility of the Executive?

This appears to cover the whole ground in the case. It would be difficult perhaps to find the same number of words containing more unwarranted assumption and hollow sophistry than what are in the above language. The appointee of the President is not his own officer. He is an officer of the people as much as if he had been directly elected by them. A man's right to an office does not depend on the mode of his introduction into it, but upon the fact that he has complied with the mode prescribed by law.

In respect to the relative power of the Senate and the President, it would seem that the power that can try the President on impeachment and on conviction depose him, must be officially his superior. It is likely that the Senate will not be any more ready to allow impunity for crime than the President. The assumption is an insult to the Senate. There is one view of the case that we have not seen presented which has weight. It is that although appointments are usually for a limited time, yet when an official is removed before the expiration of his term his removal is an official arrest, and the principle of the Habeas Corpus Act will apply and he can have the cause of his arrest inquired into. And the court of inquiry would very properly be the Senate, as it shares the responsibility of his appointment.

But what has been the practice of the Senate and the President heretofore in regard to this matter? In hundreds of instances the President has complied with the request of the Senate in such cases. In 1835 President Jackson refused to furnish the documents to the committee on the removal of the nominee without a division, and the office lapsed.

In 1870 the Senate was Democratic. The Committee on the Judiciary was composed of Messrs. Thurman, McDonald, Bayard, Garland, Lamar, Davis, Edmunds, Conkling, and Carpenter. Three of those gentlemen are now members of the Cabinet. That committee through its chairman, Mr. Thurman, made a demand on the Attorney-General and the President for the documents in a certain case of removal, and the demand was fully honored. This fact takes all the backbone out of the President's late message to the Senate.

The Senate is called on to act in a case, and it wants the facts, and can very properly refuse to move without them. THOMAS CALAHAN.

The Passing of the Indians.

In view of the energy and money now devoted to the study of ancient and prehistoric races it would be strange, indeed, if efforts were not making to preserve a knowledge of our Indians. They will soon lose their identity as a distinct race. Customs, habits, and arts, a knowledge of which is of the highest value in the study of anthropology, are passing away. Many languages are dying. It was recently discovered in one of the Iroquois tribes of Canada that only twenty-two out of about 200 Indians could speak the language of their fathers. Now is the time to collect and preserve this wide range of facts before they are lost forever; and this is the work which our Bureau of Ethnology is now zealously forwarding.

A few years ago the recent history of many Indian tribes could be obtained only with difficulty from scattered and fragmentary sources of information. We can now find on the charts of this bureau the habitat of very many of the tribes when they first met the white race, and can easily follow them in their subsequent wanderings down to the present time. The work of classifying all the tribes of North America on linguistic bases has now been in progress for several years. In these researches the bureau has laid a satisfactory foundation for its studies of Indian anthropology.

These labors are introducing us now and then to the history and peculiarities of some tribal remnant that has been hardly better known to us than the natives of Central Africa. Few specialists of late years have made richer contributions to ethnologic science than Mr. Cushing in his work among the little known Zunis. We had hardly heard the names or the Coodinos of the Colorado Grand Canon or of the Moquis of Arizona before much carefully collected information was accessible showing the curious and distinctive customs of these remarkable tribes.

The fruits of some of the labors of the Bureau of Ethnology have been deposited in the National Museum at Washington. In the collection are thousands of objects illustrating the arts and customs of different tribes. Among the models is one of the Zuni village, made of paper mache, on a scale of one foot to a mile, representing the entire details of the curious town. Quite a large number of the pueblos, cliff houses, and other ancient dwellings that are found scattered over our southern territories are being reproduced in models and sketches. Some of the collections, some of them very ancient, have been taken to Washington from the Zuni and Moqui tribes alone.

The collections of folk lore, vocabularies, and all sorts of interesting information are being rapidly enlarged, and in this work the bureau is greatly assisted by a number of scholarly missionaries, some of whom have pursued special studies for the purpose of giving greater value to their anthropological and philological studies. The Rev. Mr. Dorsey, for instance, in addition to making a painstaking and admirable study of the Omaha tribe, has within the past few years completed dictionaries of the languages of the Omaha, Kansas and Osage Indians. To the Rev. John P. Williamson a while ago was assigned the task of finishing the linguistic labors of the late Dr. Daniel G. Brinton, which were left incomplete by the death of the eminent Indian scholar Dr. Riggs. Mrs. Erminie Smith, in the course of several years' labors, has gained a good deal of linguistic and ethnologic material among the Iroquois tribes of New York and Canada. The co-operation of several societies and quite a number of outside observers is of great assistance to the